



#### REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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Atty. Dkt. No. 040679-1209

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Mitsuru IWASAKI et al.

Title: CORE STRUCTURE OF INTEGRAL HEAT-EXCHANGER

Appl. No.: 09/778,860

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Examiner: Christopher M. Atkinson

Art Unit: 3753

## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- [ ] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims				Extra				
	As		Previously		Claims				Additional
	Amended		Paid For		Present		Rate		Claims Fee
Total Claims:	23	-	24	=	0	Х	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	5	-	4	÷	1	x	\$86.00	=	\$86.00
First p	resentation	of an	y Multiple	Depen	dent Claims:	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	=	\$86.00

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[	]	Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the
		total number of months checked below:

[]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$420.00	\$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$950.00	\$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,480.00	\$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,010.00	\$0.00
	EE TOTAL:	\$0.00	
[ ]	Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$110.00	\$0.00
	EE TOTAL:	\$86.00	
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½	∕₂ of above):	\$0.00
	TO	OTAL FEE:	\$86.00

- [ ] Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$86.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$86.00 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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# **AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated December 29, 2003, concerning the above-captioned patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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